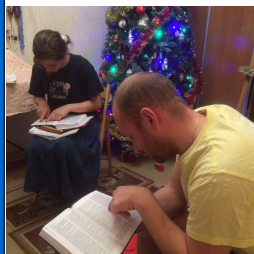


"as many as were willing hearted" - Ex. 35:22

2017 is gone! What a great end to a blessed year in the Lord's service on the foreign field of Ukraine. Baptisms & Bible Studies kept us busy these months as well as severe illnesses. John has fought



twice this winter with **pneumonia** & severe bronchitis. God continues to bless the entire church work in Kharkov with both deaf & hearing visitors. Steven & Nina's youth group has grown as they faithfully minister the Gospel to neighborhood teens, understanding this is the future of the mission work. When some folks miss church, they call and ask if we can come over and teach them what they missed!

How blessed to hunger & thirst for the things of God! **Cathy's hands** have regressed significantly and she's only able to translate barely 2 services on Sundays. Please pray God would provide a deaf translator to help. Cathy has already spent over 3 years training two teen girls but in the end their families returned to the world. Very discouraging for sure! For **Thanksgiving**



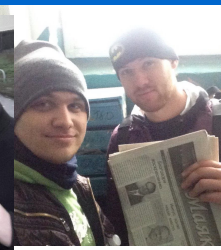
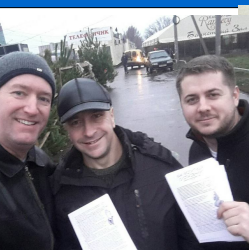
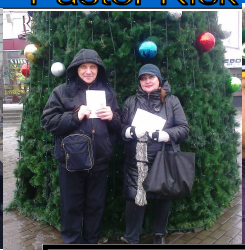
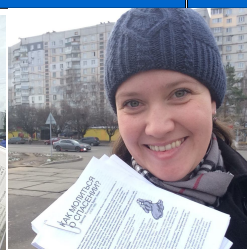
we were blessed to have Nina's mom come up from Odessa. Please continue to pray for her salvation. Enjoyed taking some of the church men to a soccer game. Great time of fellowship. We enjoyed a quiet Christmas & I Love You Day, especially having Katrina here now. Our annual New Year's prayer vigil was perfect & blessed. **FURLOUGH:** We plan to be Stateside in Virginia in October for NEW support. Please pray with us for open doors and churches who desire to keep veteran missionaries serving on the foreign field. MUCH EXPECTATION FOR 2018!



Cathy's Corner

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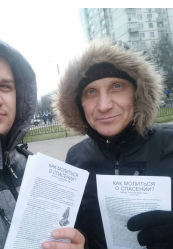
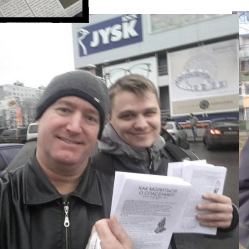
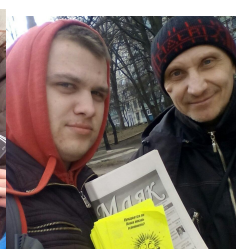
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Winter evangelism marathon! This was flooded the streets & apartments with the year and we now have **EIGHT lost souls** who School classes as well as **TWO** in Odessa who tentual to see these souls come to Christ. We here to reach many more, so pray our efforts open. Please pray for our health during winter



an exciting time in Kharkov as our little church group gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. It has been a great are regularly attending our services and Sunday visit. We ask for your prayers as 2018 has great po- are not satisfied with this number though, we are to spread the gospel are fruitful while the door is still & for wisdom as we serve the Lord with joy. Thanks!



Your missionaries in Ukraine - John and Cathy O'Brien



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